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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**COMBINED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION
AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a below inventor, I hereby declare that; My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; that I verily believe that I am an original, **joint** inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: PROBE CARD ASSEMBLY AND KIT, AND METHODS OF USING SAME, the specification of which was filed 11/9/95 and which has been assigned serial no. 08/554,902.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above; that the above-identified specification contains a complete and accurate description of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, CFR §1.56(a).

I hereby claim benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States applications that are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in those prior applications in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior applications and the filing date of this application. I further claim benefit under Title 35 United States Code, §119 of any international patent applications listed below:

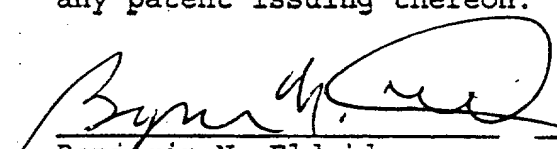
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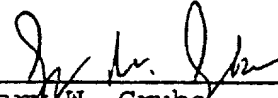
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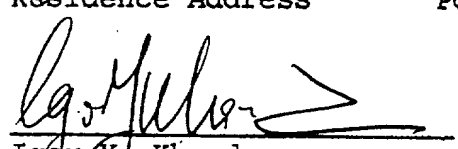
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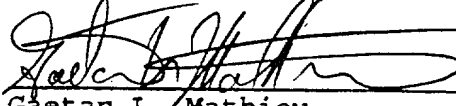

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In re Application of:

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Application No.: 09/156,957

Filed: September 18, 1998

For: Probe Card Assembly

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Art Group: 2858

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TO EXCLUSION OF INVENTOR UNDER 3.71
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Dear Sir:

The undersigned Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified application for letters patent hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney and appoints:

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to prosecute this application and transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith; said appointment to be to the exclusion of the inventors and the inventors' attorneys in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 3.71.

The following evidentiary documents establish a chain of title from the original owner to the Assignee:

- ☐ A copy of an Assignment attached hereto, which Assignment has been (or will be under separate cover) forwarded to the Patent and Trademark Office for recording; or
- ☒ The Assignment recorded on 4/22/96 at reel 8001, frame 0448.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) the undersigned assignee hereby states that evidentiary documents have been reviewed and hereby certifies that, to the best of the Assignee's knowledge and belief, title is held by the Assignee.

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